

## The Beauties of Southern California.

PASADENA, CAL., Mar. 5, '90.

DEAR INTERIOR.—Owing to the unprecedented cold, or rather cool, weather, (the thermometer rarely goes below 40°) for Southern California, vegetation is not near so far advanced as usual at this time of year, but the last four or five warm and sunny days have brought out wonderfully and nearly all fruit trees are in bloom. Flowers have been in bloom all along in the open air, and strange as it may seem the frosts have injured only two or three of the more tender species. I reckon that no place in the United States can compare with this in the variety and beauty of its flowers. In town, everybody plants them, and they grow the year round, blooming every month, while in the country the ground is literally covered with wild flowers of every conceivable color and shape. Stanford ladies would go wild if they could see all these beauties of nature.

It is a rare thing to see a fence in California. Cypress hedges are often grown on town lots, but as they do not extend all around, they afford no protection as fences. The truth is that they are not needed. No hogs of any consequence are raised, corn being too high. Fowls are always kept in corrals. Horses and cows, when put to grass, are tied with long ropes to stakes and moved whenever it is necessary, or are attended by boys. No more stock than is needed is kept, on account of the high price of all kinds of feed.

Up to recently mails have been very irregular, but are coming in all right now, I'm glad to say. I never knew how to appreciate the INTERIOR JOURNAL till I got so far away. Look forward with great interest to its coming. "It is like a letter from home." The last issue took only six days to cross the continent, beating its former time by a day or two. The West-bound Overlands (that is the through train) are not on time more than once a week, if as often. They are usually so heavy that it is next to impossible to make up time, so when they get far enough behind away back East to lose their right to the track, and have to run by telegraphic orders, they generally keep getting further and further behind until they are sometimes 10 to 15 hours late.

Pasadena is noted for its large church attendance. Nearly everybody goes to Sunday-school and preaching. The Northern Methodists and Presbyterians and Universalists and Congregationalists have magnificent church buildings and large congregations. Nearly every Protestant denomination is represented, even down to the Quakers. These last, contrary to their profession and teachings, are all split up, and brotherly love has given place to bickering, backbitings and the like. The Catholics have no organization. The Southern Methodists have a small congregation, but no church, and worship in one of the halls. They expect to commence the erection of a church building this year. The Salvation Army has nightly meetings. They drum up their crowd with a bass drum. Sunday they were reinforced from Los Angeles and held services in the street, kneeling down, ladies and all, in the middle of the street, to pray. That looks like carrying things a little too far, but they reach souls that way that could not be turned from death unto life by the orthodox methods.

Gophers, ground squirrels (just like the tree squirrels of the East, so far as I can see), and jack rabbits are enemies of the California husbandman. It sometimes becomes necessary to exterminate the rabbits. This is done by a large crowd of men and boys encompassing the area mostly infested and driving them into an open corral, made of woven wire, in shape of the letter V, except that there is a pen at the angle. Then when the poor things are securely in, the men, with clubs, go in and slay them right and left. This is a cruel proceeding, but it is the only way to get rid of the nuisance. Jack rabbits are much faster runners than the ordinary rabbit, and it takes the best dogs to catch them. As I was walking out several evenings since a dog jumped one near me and I never saw a prettier chase, but rabbit came out a good ways ahead.

A very natural question for a tender-foot is, "Where are the vines from which such delicious Tokays, Muscats and other varieties of grapes are gathered and shipped East every year?" for not one is to be seen anywhere. They are cut off back to the stump at the end of the season and burned. In the spring they put out and grow 10 or 12 feet and produce much finer grapes than if allowed to continue growing, and then too the expense and trouble of keeping up arborers are dispensed with. The stumps are sometimes more than a foot in diameter and have been known to produce crops for 20 years. The great wonder to me is that they don't die from this continual cutting back.

I am going out picnicking to-day with my landlord and family to the canyons of the Sierra Madre. Rather early for picnics, isn't it? But the weather is warm, the grass green and all the conditions that make those occasions pleasant are present. Weather was never prettier than that we've had since spring set in.

T. R. WALTON.

## WAYNESBURG.

—John M. Delany, who has been in Illinois for about 20 years, is among old friends again and seems to enjoy himself hugely. John is the best violinist in Kentucky and has no trouble to get everybody to listen while he plays.

—Train No. 7, while passing over Fishing Creek trestle, knocked an unknown man off Monday and killed him, or rather the fall of 100 feet killed him. It is impossible to learn the particulars at this writing. Train No. 1 had just passed and he did not expect another to follow so closely.

—In Prof. Fry's second examination Miss Clara Garretson made a general average of 90. H. S. Young was second best making 100 in mathematics and a general average of 86. Willie Garretson got 78 and several others less than 75. Several missed the examination on account of sickness and high water. The examination was real tough and the pupils all did well. Prof. Fry will soon be recognized as one of the very best teachers in the county. A young lady from Waynesburg, who is attending Caldwell College at Danville, made the highest general average of any pupil in that school at the January examination; 95 was the lowest mark she got on every branch.

## Lasley's Horse Chat.

(To the Editor of the Interior Journal.)

NASHVILLE, Mar. 11.—We have had snow, ice and a "cold wave," during which the Cumberland was "out on a tear." Some houses "down in the bottoms," in the vicinity of the old race track were completely submerged. Only the chimneys of some of the cottages could be seen. Many were weighted with railroad iron and others cabled to fastenings to secure them from floating away when the waters recede. So little has been done with the horses here since my last letter that nothing of interest can be said of them now.

El Rio Rey has at last arrived and is a great looking horse. From his looks, equal to a well-developed 4-year-old, he should win in most any company—perhaps he will? He was certainly a great horse last year in his two-year-old form. So is his two-year-old brother a great looker in size and development. These horses will give occasion for much to print about them hereafter. Some fears are entertained that El Rio Rey will be a "roarer" and not without grounds. I still pin my faith to Kentucky horses and think them equal to any from any clime—of the same age. Every day that strong galloping can be done is now eagerly seized and the track from early morning until afternoon is lively with horses. Some are going a little fast, but not startling.

A 3-year-old Blue Eyes filly in the Lincoln stables has done the best half mile done here yet—did it easily and playfully in three seconds better than anything else has shown. But she is nearly in form for racing—nearly as good as she will get. Yet it looks extra to those who do not take these facts into consideration.

I learned a few days since that the Comeregan colt (2-year-old) out of the dam of Santaline, is one of the finest colts to be seen and bids fair to make a good race-horse, which I hope he will prove to be, as no one deserves to have a good one more than Mr. Guest.

One negro at the track knocked another in the head with a heavy bottle, last Wednesday, fracturing the bone above the temple. The one is in jail, the other in the hospital yet unconscious.

Several of the Tennessee law makers were out Saturday evening to see the horses. All day Sunday a throng was coming and going, but as was the weather. Several stables from New Orleans will arrive here next week. Memphis trainers are complaining of the bad weather there. The meetings at Birmingham and Memphis will conflict this spring—if spring will ever come and disperse with this parody.

It seems to me at this distance that a railroad from Nashville to Stanford is of more importance to Lincoln county than retailing liquor—then why not take steps to secure it? There is a strong feeling here against that huge imposition, the L. & N. The legislature—in session—is asked to extend the corporate limits extensively and one member offered an amendment to embrace a part of Georgia and Alabama. A wise conclusion if he can secure the climate as well. The wheat, which was well advanced and promising until this last cold weather, is thought to be killed or badly injured, and fruit about out of the question. Strawberries, grown near here, were on the market before the freeze at 25¢ per quart. Guess now they were the "last of the season."

From a boy's composition in the New York Herald: "A hen is an animal made by a Creator of the universe, which is covered with feathers and has a bill. The hen stands on two feet except when she is tired and then she stands on one and eats corn with her bill. When the hen sits down she sits down to lay, and when she lays down she lays down to set. The hen's eggs are good to eat unless they have been set on."

## CRAB ORCHARD.

—The prevalence of measles has compelled R. Lee Davis to discontinue his school for a time.

—Rev. James Rice will preach at the Crab Orchard Baptist church next Sunday at the usual hour.

—Miss Sue Buchanan's school in the Walnut Flat vicinity closed last Friday, after a most satisfactory term.

—Mrs. J. H. Stephens has purchased Miss Alice Hardin's stock of millinery and will open a shop at her home on Springs avenue.

—Marshal W. T. Saunders is confined to his bed with heart disease. Mr. Mart Smith is dangerously ill of pneumonia at his home near town.

—Rev. Milton Elliott will preach at the Christian church Sunday morning and night. That church has now a new pair of noiseless doors.

—Hon. J. B. McCreary has remembered his loyal constituents hereabout with new varieties of garden seeds from the agricultural department.

—To you.—We need and must have what you owe us. I will be here only a few days and all accounts not paid will be placed in the hands of O. P. Newland for collection. Chadwick & Armendt by W. B. Armendt.

—ATTENTION LADIES!—About April 1st I will open out in Crab Orchard an elegant line of millinery goods, consisting of new spring hats, bonnets, trimming, ribbons, etc. Mantua-making department attached. Don't buy your spring outfit yet, but wait and see my new stock. Respectfully, Mrs. Hannah Steger.

—Arthur Zeller has rented of J. T. Chadwick the corner store-room, formerly occupied by Armendt & Chadwick, and will move this week his stock of drugs thereto. W. A. Carson is fitting up a room in the Harris building, where he will open an emporium for the sale of Bourbon and old rye as soon as the town council gives him the privilege. He will run a billiard-room in connection with the bar.

—Mrs. J. A. Newland will in all probability be appointed to the railroad agency here, made vacant by her husband's demise. She is an applicant for the place, we understand, and is being backed by several good railroad men. On many of the Western roads there are female operators and agents and the L. & N. Co. could not better show its appreciation of her husband's lengthy and efficient service than by continuing the emoluments of the office to her. She is a most estimable lady and competent we presume to conduct the affairs of the company up to O. K. standard.

—We came and saw and heard the distinguished editor, Mr. Watterson, on "Money and Morals." He is not what we call a consummate orator. His lecture, though it pleased and delighted, failed to arouse in us the enthusiasm that we imagined it would. Nevertheless, those who missed it missed one of the best things of their lives; for his wit, his wisdom, his extensive and varied knowledge of events and personages render all his utterances extremely fascinating. What astonished us most was the beggarly array of faces that greeted him, and in a town like Stanford, too! la! la! la!

—Mrs. Anna Black, of Kingston, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. James Fish. Clement Johnson was here this week, but did not go to see his girl for fear of another fire. Mrs. F. Blair has returned from the bedside of her mother, whom she reports out of danger and rapidly recovering. Mr. Joe Colley, of Danville, was here Monday "squaring" the palms of his former townsmen. Mr. E. Higgins, the handsome and popular representative of a Louisville firm, stopped over here this week to see his mother and talk trade to our merchants. Mrs. Sue Cherry, of Brodhead, returned home Sunday, after a few days' sojourn with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Hilton. J. H. Hutchinson has been to Pineville. "I am leaving," said he to your scribe, "the Garden of Eden and going to the barren desert." Here's success to 'im anyhow! Mr. Jno. Curtis, but newly arrived from Madison, Ind., is at his father's. Mrs. Jean Davis, nee Buchanan, of Knoxville, is visiting her mother and sisters at the old, old home place.

Humble.—Mrs. E. F. Engleman has been on a week's visit to her father, Mr. Jas. A. Harris and is expected home to-day. G. H. Swinebroad returned from the South a few days since with a carload of stock. I understand the subscription school at Bright's School-house under the supervision of Miss Virgie White, has not fairly opened yet, but bids fair to be an interesting institution in the near future. Col. L. F. Hubble, the Middleboro money devil, was here this week. Mrs. Jennie Bright and her daughter, Miss Lou, still contemplate going to Middleboro to run a boarding-house, just as soon as they can secure a suitable building for that purpose. The sunlight has shone gently into the quiet domicile of J. J. Wilmot again in the presentation of another daughter—Betsy.

—A mother and her seven children were roasted to death at Montreal.

## McKINNEY.

—I beg leave to say that it was not the fault of your correspondent that his letters did not reach the I. J. until the day after publication, but was caused by the trains not making connection at Junction City, thereby making a delay of one day at that place in the mail.

—Miss Mittie Crow is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Hocker, of Lexington. Miss Pearl Tabler has returned home from a six weeks' visit at High Bridge. C. M. Adams and sister, of near Stanford, are visiting the family of Mr. G. G. Fair. Miss Nora Ward, of Lexington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Hamilton. Farmers complain that the cold weather has damaged the wheat considerably in this section.

—The birthday party given by Col. Bibb, Tuesday eve, in honor of his grandson, R. W. Walker, was greatly enjoyed by the young folks of the neighborhood. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather there were about 20 couples present and all seemed to enjoy it to the fullest extent. About 10 o'clock an elegant supper was served, after which the company returned to the parlor and enjoyed themselves till a late hour, when they returned home, all joining in thanks and praises for the very pleasant time they had spent.

## A Correction.

(To the Editor of the Interior Journal.)

PAINT LICK, Mar. 12.—The following appears in the last Richmond Register:

A difficulty occurred in Dinelli's Dining Rooms on Monday which resulted in the cutting of James Martin by Joe P. Embury. Persons who were in the room at the time say that the two men were sitting at separate tables. When Martin, who was under the influence of liquor, discovered Embury he began to use harsh language about some former business, and then started toward him with a pistol. Embury drew his pocket knife, knocked Martin's pistol up and went to work. The result of the difficulty was the cutting of Martin's hand, the thumb being almost severed, and a slight wound in the shoulder. Neither wound was dangerous and Martin left for home the following morning.

The above does me a very gross injustice and for the benefit of my wife's relatives who live in your county and the very many friends I have who live in the country in which your paper circulates, would like to give the plain facts, so they may not be misled so far as my connection with the affair is concerned.

On Monday March 7 in company with two of my neighbors, I started to Richmond. While on the cars of the K. C. a short distance from my house a wreck occurred, which delayed us until it was very late. When we got to Richmond it was time to take dinner. I invited my two friends to dine with me and went to the Dining Rooms of Mr. Dinelli. As we entered the door I noticed seated at the first table on the left Messrs. J. P. Embury and John D. Harris.

I motioned my friends to the first table on the right. We took our seats and while waiting for our dinner, Mr. Embury arose from his seat and approached ours, and commenced a conversation with me in regard to a debt he owed me. I told him that I was willing to settle by his own books and at the same time that I owed him for two loads of sugar cane and that I wanted to pay that also. I asked him how much it would be. He said \$4. I told him all right, he could take out \$10 if he wanted to. He then turned and went into the front confectionery store and in a short time returned with a small day book in his left hand and his right hand in his overcoat pocket, and commenced the conversation on the subject again, when I told him that I would not settle the matter then but would defer it, when he drew his knife and commenced cutting at me. I backed all the time, endeavoring to keep off his blows, with the above results, and I think that I came out exceedingly well, as the gentleman only weighs between 200 and 225 pounds.

The reason I refused to settle with him at that special time was because I was engaged eating my dinner and entertaining my friends and I did not think it a proper time to make a settlement of business affairs. And so far as my being under the influence of liquor to the extent that I would attack a man, as the Register article would lead the public to believe I did, is simply untrue and I most emphatically deny any such statement, and I believe it was made with either a total disregard of facts or to excite public sympathy for J. P. Embury.

Respt. Yours, JAMES MARTIN.

People who find it embarrassing to perform the necessary duty of introducing folks may find the following incident interesting and the mode worthy of imitation. Three darkeys met en route to church, and one of them, in the snariness of self importance in her extended acquaintance, said to her friends: "Mr. Thompson, Mr. Bell, Mr. Bell, Mr. Thompson. I makes you acquainted with one 'nother, an' I hope you will pass an' repass, an' be recompensed."

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Friday, March 28th, 1890,

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D. S. CARPENTER, Hustonville.

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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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County Attorney, JOSEPH B. PAXTON;  
County Clerk, GEORGE B. COOPER;  
Sheriff, J. N. MENEFFER;  
Jailer, SAMUEL M. OWENS;  
Assessor, E. D. KENNEDY;  
Supt. of Common Schools, W. F. McCLARY;  
Surveyor, HARRY A. EVANS;  
Comptroller, ARCH CAHSON.

The penitentiary investigation, which was instituted as usual at the beginning of the legislative session, with a great flourish of trumpets about the inhumanity of the inmates, who were charged with feeding the convicts rotten meats, half clothing them and practicing terrible cruelties, has about petered out. It has been found that there were no good grounds for any of the charges and that the hue and cry were raised by interested parties for spite. The result is just as we predicted. We have known the gentlemen composing the firm of the Mason-Ford Co., some of them from boyhood, and were satisfied that they were incapable of practicing the outrages complained of. There is a great deal of silly sentiment wasted on convicts. Men who disregard the laws and take them into their own hands are generally worthy of very little consideration and they should not be expected to be fed on the fat of the land and be clothed in purple and fine linen. The investigations are not only annoying to the honorable men who leave the penitentiary, but their biennial return costs them many thousands of dollars by the demoralization that the matter causes among the prisoners, and they should not be lightly entered into.

The Virginians, and in fact all the admirers of that distinguished soldier and Christian gentleman, the lamented Gen. Robert E. Lee, are looking forward with happy anticipations to the unveiling of the equestrian statue of him, which is to occur at Richmond, Va., May 29. It will stand 61 feet and 2 inches above the ground. Of this height the base and pedestal will take 20 feet and horse and rider in bronze will make the remaining 23 feet 2 inches. The statue is designed to represent Gen. Lee as having reined in his horse, and he is in the act of overlooking the battlefield and receiving the greeting of his troops. The horse's head is down and turned slightly to the left; the left fore foot is advanced and the left hind foot is thrown back. The figure of Lee is erect and bareheaded, the torso and head being turned very slightly to the left. The bridle hand is well up on the thigh, holding the General's hat. Many thousands of people are expected to attend the unveiling, which is looked upon as a great event in the South.

AFTER 11 days of suffering, Ex-Congressman W. P. Taulbee, died at 5 o'clock Tuesday from the effects of the bullet sped by Charles Kincaid's pistol into his vitals. Kincaid was immediately re-arrested and placed in jail, but his condition is such that his physicians say that confinement will kill him. From the reports of the case there seems hardly a doubt but that Judge Kincaid was justifiable in shooting Taulbee, who had abused and assaulted him repeatedly because he thought he could do so with impunity, but the laws of the District of Columbia are more rigid than ours and the right to take human life under any circumstances is scarcely allowable. It is feared therefore that the case will go hard with Kincaid, who may be forced to undergo a manslaughter punishment, if no severer.

SENATOR STANFORD, realizing that the agricultural interest is depressed, does not propose to relieve it of the unnecessary taxation that has made it so and built up other interests at its expense, but wants the government to continue robbing the farmers and then loan them money at a rate not exceeding 2 per cent. to the amount of half of the appraised valuation of their farms. The money is to be secured by mortgages and the "paternal government," which the republicans would make of it, would soon become the owner of half the land in the country. The scheme is only another effort to pull the wool over the eyes of a class which has to pay at last for the protection which other interests enjoy.

The fastest railroad traveling has just been accomplished between Philadelphia and New York. Tuesday when Reading stock began to go up with great jumps, a Wall street firm telegraphed Levy & Lewis to send their big block at once. A train was chartered, a messenger jumped aboard with the stock and in 85 minutes he was at the ferry, having covered the 90 miles at the rate of less than a mile a minute.

The constitutional convention is now a fixed fact, both branches of the legislature having voted to call it, the House by 81 to 8 and the Senate by a practically unanimous vote. Delegates will be elected in August from the same districts that legislators are and the convention will meet in September. This business having been disposed of, it is too much now to ask of our law-makers to buckle down to work.

JUDGE HARRIS will assist in the defense of Charles Kincaid and thinks there will be no great difficulty in establishing the fact that he was driven to do what he did. It seems to us that the Hon. Phil B. Thompson, Jr., ought to embrace the chance to pay a debt of gratitude by volunteering his legal assistance in the case. When he killed his man in Mercer county, Kincaid came valiantly to his rescue and his reports of the trial for the Courier-Journal were remarkable for the studied effort to show that he was entirely justifiable in slaying Walter Davis. Thompson has now a chance to show his appreciation and give one good turn for another.

GEN. GIBBES believes his weather predictions if nobody else does. Last week he said it would be "warmer, fair," and although it snowed and blowed like Helen Blazes, he appeared on the streets dressed in his best suit of spring clothes. After his repeated failures it would seem that his own confidence in his forecasts might be somewhat impaired, but they are not and he dresses to suit them, although he may shiver and shake from early morn till close of day.

TAX-PAYERS will be glad to know that the bill to reduce the State tax from 47 1/2 to 42 1/2 cents has become a law. There was more money being collected from the people than was necessary for an economically administered government, and a democratic legislature was not slow to lighten the burden. Taxation is at best a burden, which becomes onerous when used to extort money, not needed to meet the legitimate expenses of government.

The democrats of the lower House of the Tennessee legislature have passed every measure suggested by the recent caucus of the party, including a much-needed election reform bill. The republicans filibustered and used every method known to corrupt politics to prevent the latter, but the democrats mustered a quorum of their own and carried their points without resorting to the revolutionary tactics of Speaker Reed.

THE surplus in the National Treasury, which was \$140,000,000 when the republicans took charge of the government, has practically disappeared and the probability is that there will be a deficit of alarming proportions by the end of the next fiscal year. The reckless and extravagant legislation of the party in power is a growing menace to the country, upon which the fall elections will put the seal of condemnation.

It is said that the L. & N. has scooped the Monon, which had before scooped the Louisville Southern. If she has it gives her a Chicago line and kills the competition which the Kentucky road promised.

## LEGISLATIVE DOINGS.

Both Houses have passed the bill to incorporate the Farmer's Bank and Trust Co., of Stanford.

The Senate passed the house bill to incorporate the Cumberland River railroad, with certain amendments which the report does not give.

Mr. Warren and Smith, of Madison, were appointed in behalf of the 8th district on the committee to redistrict the State into Congressional districts.

The Supreme Court of the United States has made the allotments for the circuits. Justice Brewer was assigned to the Sixth district, which includes Kentucky.

A bill has been introduced to further regulate the duties of the Attorney General and the Commonwealth's Attorneys by requiring the former to attend to the State's business in the courts in and out of the State and making it the duty of the latter to look after the State's business in their own districts. In view of the lavish expenditure of money by the State for outside counsel, such a measure seems of absolute importance.

The Thornebill, which regulates and reduces the charges of tobacco warehouse men, which passed the House with but little opposition, has stirred up those whose interests are involved and they are making Herculean efforts to prevent the Senate from concurring in the bill. The Louisville dealers say that it will ruin their market, which is the largest in the world, and give Cincinnati and other places outside of Kentucky large advantages.

## NEWS CONDENSED

The military prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, contains 423 prisoners serving for desertion.

DeLesseps is about to die on account of the complete collapse of the Panama Canal scheme. He is 85.

The widow of Craig Tolliver, the Rowan county desperado, who moved to Ohio after he was killed, died this week.

Five democrats voted with the republicans to censure Senator Call for his unparliamentary language to Mr. Chandler.

One hundred and fifty dead miners is the result of another mine explosion; this time at the Morsa Colliery in Wales.

A paper published at Canton, China, figures the loss of life in that country by fire, flood and other calamities at 750,000 per year.

Judge McComus, who was Lieutenant Governor of Virginia and who signed John Brown's death warrant, died at Fort Scott, Kansas, Tuesday, aged 74 years.

Two thousand shirtmakers of New York, mostly women, have struck against a refusal of the bosses to reduce the hours from 14 to 10 and provide machines.

A bill has been favorably reported in the Senate providing for the construction of post-office buildings in towns where the postal receipts exceed \$1,000 per annum.

An all-night cock-fight took place in a barn near Covington in which 13 battles were fought and 8 birds were killed in the ring. Over \$1,000 was wagered on the results.

Elmer Starkey, the boy who murdered his mother at Eaton, O., has for a second time been condemned to die. A new trial and a change of venue only confirmed his guilt.

The great clothing house of Stern, Mayer & Co., corner 3d and Vine, Cincinnati, was totally destroyed by fire, loss \$450,000. The Burnet House was saved with much difficulty.

A scycamore tree chopped down by James Collins, of Galesburg, Ill., split open as it fell, showing a deposit of honey weighing over 1,100 pounds. The bees would have filled a barrel.

There is a report that the bank at Harriman, Tenn., was robbed Sunday night, but as usual the officials are very reticent about it, though there is not much doubt that it has suffered a heavy loss.

Surveyors from the Kentucky Central offices are in Louisville to survey the route for a new railroad from that city to Covington. The new road will connect with the main line of the K. C. at Milldale.

The post-mortem over the remains of Ex-Congressman Taulbee disclosed the ball at the base of the brain where an abscess had formed. The doctors say he could not possibly have lived under the circumstances.

In the face of a fierce republican intimidation Biddeford, Maine, persisted in giving an overwhelming victory to the democrats. Mr. Chandler will miss his opportunity if he fails to call for an immediate investigation.

E. L. Harper, the Fidelity bank wrecker, of Cincinnati, now in the Ohio penitentiary, has been recommended to the president for pardon by the State prison board of managers, on account of his exemplary conduct as a prisoner.

Friday night at Liletown, near Greensburg, John Dills and party fired a volley into a house occupied by Mrs. Burris, wounding her and killing her grandson, James Burris. The attack was made to kill John Burris, who had attacked Dills for seducing his sister.

One of the most striking examples of the overdoing of the "boom" business is afforded by the State of Kansas. Not only has its phenomenal growth been checked, but the State Board of Agriculture reports that the population of Kansas has decreased over 50,000 within a year.

"Good-bye, Jennie; I must leave you. Do the best you can with the children," said John B. Pettibone to his wife, kissing her as he spoke. He then walked back a few feet, placed a pistol to his head, fired and fell forward dead at her feet. This occurred at Wilkesbarre, Pa., and was caused by despondency over loss of work.

## MT. VERNON, ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.

The attendance at court is not very large, on account of bad roads.

Your business manager greeted his many friends here Monday and Tuesday. A double brick store with hall and offices above is being talked of by one of our enterprising citizens.

A car-load of merchandise was burned at Pineville Wednesday morning. It is thought to be the work of tramps who broke into and slept in the car the night before.

Bill Griffin was tried Saturday, charged with having cut Pat Welsh in the head with a hatchet. The proof showed that the whole party were "full as ticks" and a drunken fight the result. Griffin was acquitted.

ATTENTION DEMOCRATS!—The democratic county and district committees will meet at the court-house, in Mt. Vernon, Monday, March 31st, at 9 A. M., for the transaction of important business. A full attendance is earnestly desired. Democratic candidates should be present. S. H. Martin, Ch'n Co. Com.

James Marot, Sec'y.  
—Riley Jordan and family left Monday for Bonham, Texas. Mr. J. T. Cress was kicked by a horse a few days since and was unable to walk for a day or two. Mr. J. A. Owens, the accommodating agent at Barbourville, was up Sunday. Mr. M. F. Brinkley, candidate for clerk of the Court of Appeals, was here during the week. Mart Dillon, J. B. Gagen and W. T. Brent, of the L. & N., are attending court here. Jeff Mitchell, of Richmond, was in town Wednesday. Prof. C. V. Liming has returned and taken charge of Prof. Shaw's school.

Business in circuit court is moving along with prospects of getting through in the early part of next week. No prominent cases have yet been tried. The case of Cox administratrix vs. L. & N. for running over and killing Elijah Cox on Pine Hill trestle two years since was continued. The Wiley case, which has twice been to the Court of Appeals is set for today, Thursday. It is a case of a passenger having been ejected from a train for refusing to pay 4 cents per mile fare after entering the cars without a ticket.

## SPRING SEASON, 1890.

Is now fairly inaugurated. The styles are refreshing and never were they more beautiful than now, and nowhere are they more plentifully displayed than at

## THE LOUISVILLE STORE

Goods are arriving daily in large quantities and will be sold at their usual moderate prices. When all of the people understand, as a great many do, that we pay cash for what we buy and get cash for what we sell, thereby saving our customers a good discount at both ends of the line, and that we buy from only the best manufacturers, who put their trademark on every piece of goods because they are not ashamed of their work; when all the people get these facts into their heads they will wear better Dress Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, &c., pay less for them and have more money to jingle in their pockets.

Just think what the little sum of 50 cents can buy at our store: 50 cents can buy 10 yards of good Gloucester and Allen Calico; 50c can buy 10 yds. of good Sea Island Cotton; 50c can buy 7 yards of good yard-wide Bleached Cotton; 50c can buy 8 yards of good Plaid Dress Cottons; 50c can buy 10 yards of Worsted Goods; 50c can buy a new style Crusher Hat; 50c can buy a good flexible Corset; 50c can buy hundreds of other articles in our store too numerous to mention.

Main Street, Stanford,

M. SALINGER, MANAGER.

I. M. BRUCE,  
LIVERY, SALE AND FEED STABLE,  
STANFORD, KY.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS. Horses and mules bought and sold. Only best-class horses and vehicles used in livery.

"YAZOO," 11799.

Record 2:27 1/2. Foaled April 30, 1887.  
By HAROLD, sire of, Mand S., record 2:03 1/2, and 50 more in the 2:30 list.  
First dam Yolande, dam of Yuba, record 2:45.  
By BELMONT, sire of, Nutwood, 2:13 1/2.  
2 dam Young Portia.  
Dam of Voltaire 2:30 1/2, sire of Resolute 2:14.  
Dam of Porton 2:35, (sire of Minnesota 2:27 1/2).  
Dam of Hyman, 2:34 year-old record 2:17.  
Dam of Child Harold, two-mile record in England 5:14.  
Grand dam of Countess, sire of Clonmore 2:25 1/2.  
Grand dam of Yuba 2:25 1/2.  
By MAMBRINO CHIEF, sire of Lady Thorne record 2:45.  
3 dam Portia, by ROEBUCK.  
4 dam by WHITE.  
The above record is no measure of his speed; we expect him to go under 2:10 this fall.  
YAZOO will make the season on the farm of W. S. Hume & Co., Silver Creek, Ky., 8 miles from Richmond on the Lancaster turnpike.

At \$40 to insure.

His oldest colts are coming two-year-olds. Will graze mares at 10 cents per day and will take all possible care, but are not responsible for accidents or escapes.  
T. S. BURNAM & CO.

THE FANCY SADDLE STALLION,

GILT EDGE!

Will make the season of 1890 at our stable 1/4 mile from Milledgeville, Lincoln county, Ky., on the Stanford and Milledgeville pike, at

\$20 to insure a Mare in Foal,  
Or \$25 by the season.

Money due when mare is parted with. Mares grazed or fed at reasonable price. Not responsible for any accident should any occur.  
Gilt Edge is a beautiful red sorrel, flashy mane and tail 15 hands 1 1/2 inches high; was foaled Sept. 6, 1887, and is a perfect saddle horse.  
Gilt Edge was shown last season as a 3-year-old and took the sweepstakes premium at Kirksville and at Danville and in his own right at Harrodsburg. Those who want to breed to a good saddle stallion are cordially invited to look at our horse and see him move.  
He was sired by Second Jewel, he by Cunningham's Jewel, he by old Washington Denmark.  
His first dam, Minnie, by McDonald's Helmer; 2d dam by Willie's Crusader, his 1st dam by Stonewall Jackson, he by Washington Denmark, he by Black Denmark, his first dam by Crusader, he by Old Whip; 2d dam a Rocky Mountain mare.  
MADISON SANDIDGE & SON,  
Milledgeville, Ky.

Ed Barlow, 2375.

(Standard Rule 6.)

Black stallion, 10 1/2 hands high, foaled 1882, bred by A. Goldsmith, Orange county, New York.  
Sired by Castler 1062.  
1st dam Woburn Maid, by Woburn 345.  
(The dam of Carver, 2:27 1/2).  
2d dam by a Mambrino horse.  
3d dam by Mambrino Messenger.  
Castler, 1062, by Volunteer, 35, sire of St. Julien 2:14, etc.; 2d dam Miss Noddy, by Hammond, son of Potter's Clay; 3d dam Well's Star, dam of Arillery 2:27 1/2, and Modesty 2:30, by American Star, 14, 3d dam by Bertrand.  
Woburn 345, by Hambletonian, 100, 1st dam Miss Cooley, by Telegraph 301; 2d dam, the dam of Geo. Cooley, by Friday.  
Ed Barlow will stand at my stable, 1/4 mile from Stanford on the new White Oak and Dix River Turnpike, near Dunderberg's Mill.

At \$10 to insure a Living Colt.

I will also give a \$10 premium for the best mare colt and \$7.50 for the best horse colt of Ed Barlow's get to be shown in Stanford the first Monday in October, 1891. Also my young jack.

JOE EMBREE.

will serve a few good mares at \$8 to insure a living colt. Joe is a red jack, 3 years old the 14th of last October. He is 14 1/2 hands high and of fine style and action. Bred by Peyton Embree, of Lincoln county, and has a double cross of Jim Porter. A hen retained on all colts till the season is paid. Money due when the colt comes or more parted with.  
C. M. SPOONAMORE,  
Stanford, Ky.

BLUE-GRASS NURSERIES

A Full Stock of

Fruit and Ornamental Trees,  
Grape Vines, small Fruits, Asparagus, Shrubs and everything for the Orchard. We employ no agents but sell direct at low prices to the planter. A general nursery and strawberry catalogue sent on application, both replete with practical information.  
105-106 H. F. HILLENMEYER,  
Lexington, Ky.

## NEW GOODS!

We have the finest and most complete stock of.....

Dress Goods,  
White Goods,  
Embroideries, &c.,

Ever in Stanford. Call and examine and be convinced.

A Full Line of Thos. Emerson's Sons Cents' fine Boots and Shoes.

Carpets, Oil Cloths, Matting, Rugs, Lace Curtains, &amp;c.

SEVERANCE &amp; SON.

## Gents' Furnishing Goods

Light, Medium and Heavy Undearwear,

Fancy Flannel Shirts,

Unadorned Shirts, Dress Shirts, Pique Shirts, and Night Shirts,

Plain and Fancy Kid Gloves,

Driving Gloves, Work Gloves, Suspenders, a Large Line of New Neckwear

In bows, four-in-hands and Scarfs at

STAGG &amp; McROBERTS.

NEW FURNITURE STORE!  
MACK HUFFMAN, PROP.

Will keep constantly on hand a large and select line of Furniture and Undertaker's Goods. My prices will be as low as such goods can be bought in the cities. Give me a trial and you will be convinced that I sell lower than the lowest.



## MEANS BUSINESS.

Come and settle your account. A. R. Penny.

Watches and jewelry repaired and warranted. A. R. Penny.

The best place to buy drugs, patent medicines and toilet articles is at A. R. Penny's.

Buy your school books, ink, tablets, paper, pencils and school supplies of all kinds from A. R. Penny.

## PERSONAL POINTS.

Mr. A. R. Penny went to Louisville yesterday.

Judge M. J. Durbin was here on legal business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Riley have returned from their bridal tour and spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Jones, on their way to Pineville.

Miss Nettie Wray is at home again after a lengthy stay with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Lynn, in Louisville, to the delight of her numerous friends and admirers.

Judge Vincent Borking, the most enterprising man in the mountains, was here Wednesday in consultation with the rest of the stockholders in the Pineville Addition.

Miss Annie Higgins, of Garrard, a very handsome and cultivated young lady, was the guest of W. H. Higgins en route to visit her sister, Mrs. S. W. Paris, at Mt. Vernon.

Mr. E. S. Rowland, of Rowland & Thiele, Merchant Tailors, Danville, says he sold 12 or 15 suits while here and could afford to pay the \$10 license that the town made him ante. Ed is a hustler and doesn't often get left.

Mrs. P. K. Courts has appointed Miss Effie Warren her assistant in the post-office and she will go on duty April 1. The selection will give general satisfaction. Miss Effie is the daughter of a life-long republican and is a most deserving young lady.

## CITY AND VICINITY.

No. 1 Mackerel at S. S. Myers.

WANTED, good butter and fresh eggs at A. A. Warren's.

Two rooms for rent over New York Store. Suitable for small family.

BUTTER is exceedingly scarce on this market now at 25 cents a pound.

A full stock of Ziegler Bros. celebrated shoes just received. S. H. Shanks.

The claim agent of the L. & N., Mr. John McChord, has paid D. W. Vandever \$450 for the two horses killed by the train a few weeks ago.

Mr. B. K. Wearen has purchased of George D. Wearen, agent, his coal yard and good will and will run that business in connection with his brick yard that he is getting in preparation.

W. B. McRoberts appears with a brand new ad. this morning. Besides a full stock drug store, it will be seen that he is also prepared to sell, repair and engrave jewelry of all kinds.

DISTILLERY.—W. H. T aylor, whose distillery was recently burned down, has rebuilt and is now turning out whisky at the rate of five barrels a day. This ought to keep the prohibitionists pretty well supplied.

An agency has been established here for the sale of the memorial volume of the late editor of the Atlanta Constitution, Henry Woodin Grady, and a mighty pretty young lady will call on you to subscribe.

A MAN was here Tuesday, who looked so much like the picture and description of Pope, the Louisville bank robber, that John Bright, Sr., could hardly keep from laying hands on him and claiming the reward.

An effort to establish a Knight of Pythias lodge here is being made and 10 or 15 signers have already been gotten. Messrs. D. F. Logan and Ed S. Rowland, enthusiastic members of the Danville lodge, have been doing the work.

The sale of the Middlesboro lots belonging to the estate of the late J. S. Gill, advertised by Special Commissioner W. J. Kinnard, has been postponed on account of some error in the court proceedings. This will be remedied and the sales made later on.

THE Richmond Climax says the well-known railroad contractors, D. C. M. & D. A. Shanahan, and E. T. Powell have bought 7,000 acres of rich hematite iron ore land near Lowmoor, Va., and have formed a stock company with \$100,000 capital to work it. Stock, in \$100 shares, is now to be had at \$25 cash, the balance in 3, 6 and 9 months. This is a gigantic institution with excellent men to back it.

POSTAL CHANGES.—Mr. A. S. Winscott, of High Bridge, who married a daughter of Col. Bibb, of this county, has been appointed postal clerk on the K. C., and will move his family to this place. Mr. P. J. Saunders, who has had this run, has been promoted to a run on the Knoxville Branch and will take his family to Louisville. Mr. Saunders has proven himself a most competent man and his promotion is deserved.

New lot of men's and boys' spring clothing just received at S. H. Shanks.

THERE was a misprint of the date of the beginning of the Circuit Court. It should have read, Monday, 24th.

Capt. B. N. Rolfe's train was loaded to the guards yesterday with colored laborers for the road beyond Cumberland Gap.

It has rained almost continually since our last report, but a rift appears in the clouds. Greeley promises us clear and cooler weather to-day.

Born Houses have passed the bill to amend the charter of the Lincoln Building and Loan Association, which gives it the right to open a new series of shares at stated times.

SOMERSET has caught the fever and is trying to get up a boom. Electric lights, water-works, street cars, ice factories and all the modern improvements are in progress or contemplated.

THERE will be a big meeting in the interest of the Cumberland River Railroad at McKinney to-morrow afternoon, 15th. Let everybody who wants this important road built be on hand to give aid and comfort to the enterprise.

OUR store at Hustonville will soon require the attention of both of us so all parties who are indebted to us are earnestly requested to call and settle with us or we will be compelled to put our accounts in the hands of an officer. Owsley & Craig.

PRESIDENT BOSLEY advertises the election for directors of the Danville & Crab Orchard Turnpike, which will occur on the 1st Saturday in April. The directors will in turn elect a secretary to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Rev. S. S. McRoberts, who held the position for 42 years.

A 3-YEAR-OLD daughter of Harvey Brown, colored, who lives at Honeyville, while nursing her 3-months-old sister, let her fall on the floor and the little one went into spasms, which continued for about an hour, when she died. The fall was only a foot or two and her head did not strike all. It is supposed that the injuries were internal.

It seems to be pretty generally believed that the recent fire at Liberty was the work of an incendiary. Dr. O. H. McRoberts, who has just returned from there, says that those who were first awakened by the flames saw two men riding out of town at a break-neck speed and this connected with threats made by the friends of a prisoner, who is in jail there, to burn the town, makes it look sufficiently suspicious to make an investigation at least.

AN amusing incident occurred at a local church the other night. The preacher was offering up a fervent prayer and an enthusiastic member seated away in the rear was working the "amen" racket with great zeal and sometimes at the wrong point. The visiting preacher next led in prayer, and thinking that the "amens" had come from a sacrilegious sinner, petitioned the Throne of Grace in behalf of the scoffer. When he was through the local preacher explained that there was a mistake, the "amen" man also explained, the visiting preacher apologized and everything was lovely and serene again. The custom of the brethren expressing their approval and interest in a prayer by such ejaculations as "amen," "Praise the Lord" and so on, is a very old one in the Methodist church, but of late years it has become obsolete to a great extent, as it seems it should. It is a lip service, which often grates on the ears of the rest of the congregation, who are satisfied to pray in secret, believing that the Father will keep His promise to reward them openly.

## MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

An Atchison girl eighteen years old has just been divorced from her third husband.

Wm. Sherman Wren and Miss Maggie Farris were married at Mrs. Sarah Broughton's yesterday.

Nelson Stringer and Mrs. Mattie Kindred, a widow of 28, were married by Judge Varnon at the Court-House yesterday.

Nettie White, of Sturgeon, Mo., had two lovers, whom she made draw straws to see who should have her. That was about a year ago. She is now divorced from the man who drew the longest straw and about to marry the other, who really was her heart's choice at the time of the lottery.

The gentleman who married Miss Lettie Carson, formerly of this county, is named Edward Dawson and not Davison as the Times had it. He is employed at the Avery Plow Works, Louisville, and is said to be a very nice gentleman. Miss Lettie is pretty, vivacious and accomplished and the two will no doubt be very happy together. They have gone to house-keeping corner of 12th and Market and Mrs. Carson is living with them.

## DEATHS' DOINGS.

Judge J. A. Lytle has received news of the death of his oldest sister, Mrs. Susan Ford, who departed this life at Knob Noster, Mo., on the 7th, aged 74, of a general giving away of the system. Over 32 years ago Mrs. Ford moved with her husband to Missouri, and in that time has only visited her old home once, that

about six years ago. Two children survive her, but her husband was called hence more than 20 years ago. Mrs. Ford was a member of the Christian church and an estimable woman in every respect. The judge and his sister, Mrs. J. S. Bosley, who are the sole survivors of a large family, visited her last fall and enjoyed a week of happy reunion. Many friends here will remember Mrs. Ford and grieve to know that she is no more.

## CHURCH AFFAIRS.

Louisville has 142 churches, 22 banks and 35 public schools.

Rev. R. H. Caldwell will preach at the Presbyterian church at the usual hour Sunday night.

Rev. H. T. Daniels' two weeks' meeting in Louisville resulted in 20 additions to the East Baptist church.

The West Lexington Presbytery met in Lexington and dissolved the pastoral relations of Rev. I. S. McElroy with the church at Mt. Sterling. He will become agent to raise funds for Central University.—Kentuckian.

The meeting which has been conducted at the Methodist church for the last 16 or 18 days by the Rev. J. R. Savage, of Georgetown, was expected to close last night. There have been a dozen or more confessions, but the principal goal has been to the church members themselves. Mr. Savage is an earnest worker in his Master's cause and his labors here have endeared him to many hearts that will remember and thank him through all eternity.

## FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

W. T. Smith sold to J. D. Dunn a combined mare for \$150.

15 good yearling sugar mules for sale. A. K. Denny, Shelby City.

A splendid 4-year-old jack for sale. J. W. Powell, Hustonville.

R. D. Logan sold to Terhune, of Casey, 8 cotton mules at \$90.

Wanted.—To rent out a house and good garden to some one who will work well. J. H. Miller.

The Advocate says that Al Hutchings has returned from Atlanta, where he sold 75 mules for about \$125.

Good cattle are in demand in Cincinnati at 3 1/2 to 4 1/2; feeders at 3 1/2 to 4 1/2; hogs are slow at 3 1/2 to 4 20; sheep are quiet at 2 1/2 to 3; spring lambs are scarce at 10 to 12 1/2 cts.

W. L. Dawson has bought the farm of P. L. Simpson, containing acres, for \$2,000 and has moved to it. Will Simpson has moved to the George McRoberts place vacated by Dawson.

The Department of Agriculture estimates that the farmers have on hand 45.9 per cent, or 970,000,000 bushels of last year's corn crop; and that the average price on March 1st was 27.9 cents.

J. C. Fox bought in Casey [and the West End of this county, 16 extra good cotton mules at \$75 to \$100 and 3 brood mares at \$100 to \$160. He sold to Coffey, of Wayne, 6 aged mules at \$140 to \$160.

Mrs. O. T. Wallace, of Garrard, has sold 190 dozen eggs since Jan. 1, besides using 12 dozen or more for setting purposes. This cannot be beaten in this section, so we hereby award Mrs. Wallace the blue ribbon.

The Senate will vote on the Blair bill March 20. It is thought that it will not pass.

Gus Parnell was probably fatally wounded in Lou Gaddis' house of ill-fame at Harrodsburg by Soly Yates, the woman's paramour.

A train jumped the track near Pembroke, Ont., and went over an embankment 25 feet high. Out of 30 passengers several were fatally hurt and nearly all were seriously injured.

Kentucky is not the only State that is going to have a constitutional convention. The governor of Mississippi has called a convention to meet in that State in August to frame a new constitution.

Thirty people have been arrested at White Hall, Minn., for the lynching of Jacob Olesen in November, and several have pleaded guilty. The trial is in progress and is developing a remarkable state of affairs. Peter Johnson, a well-to-do farmer who led the mob, committed suicide, fearing conviction.

The rainfall is general throughout the country, and the streams continue to rise everywhere. A water-spout at Ullin, Ill., covered the Illinois Central tracks to the depth of five feet. Mississippi tributaries generally are swollen to their banks and are still rising. Much damage and great suffering are threatened.

The Frankfort Lottery is making a great effort to prevent the State legislature from putting an end to its operations. It is charged that its agents have been attempting to bribe legislators. Hon. Evan Settle, of Owenton, says that he was offered \$100 as a retainer ostensibly for his services as attorney but really in the nature of a bribe. Feeling in the legislature against the lottery is growing strong.

The resolutions adopted by the State Prohibition Convention at Topeka, Kansas, denounced the republican party as being in league with the liquor power, and ascribed it as "a party that allows 1,500 saloons in the District of Columbia and two in the Capitol itself—a party whose president furnishes five kinds of wine for his state dinners, and whose vice-president furnishes quarters in the 'Shoreham' for one of the most fashionable and attractive drinking places in Washington.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

## Turnpike Election.

An election for six directors of the Danville & Crab Orchard Turnpike will be held at the First National Bank, Stanford, on the first Saturday in April, 1890.

J. S. BOSLEY, President.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION

## THE NATIONAL BANK OF HUSTONVILLE

AT HUSTONVILLE,

In the State of Kentucky, at the close of business Feb. 25, 1890.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$110,000 00
Overdrafts	5,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500 00
Due from approved reserve agents	50,000 00
Due from other National Banks	5,000 00
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	2,500 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	4,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	2,000 00
Checks and other cash items	300 15
Bills of other Banks	20,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	14 24
Signage	5,638 00
Legal tender notes	4,500 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	
5 per cent. of circulation	600 30
Total	\$173,999 63

## LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000 00
Surplus fund	10,000 00
Undivided profits	3,000 00
U. S. Bonds	12,500 00
National Bank notes outstanding	14,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check	85,989 63
Total	\$173,999 63

## STATE OF KENTUCKY.

County of Lincoln

I, J. W. Hucker, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. HUCKER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of Feb., 1890.

G. F. PEACOCK, N. P. L. C.

EDWARD ALBORN, J. P. RIFE, J. J. ROBINSON, Directors.

## BREEZE WILKES!

[Standard.]

Bay stallion, black points, 15 1/2 hands high, foaled in 1887. Sired by Potomac, 22 1/2, sire of Nellie O'Neal 22 1/2, trial 2 1/2; Buck Wilkes 24, trial 2 1/2; Daisy L. 24, King Potomac trial 2 1/2; Mary Lou, 3-year-old trial 2 1/2 and 3 1/2, more, that have shown trials of 2 1/2 or better—all in last season, which is certainly wonderful for a 3-year-old stallion with limited opportunities by Gen. Wilkes 2 1/2, sire of Harry Wilkes 2 1/2, 3-year-old trial 2 1/2; Red Wilkes (sire of Prince Wilkes 2 1/2); William L. sire of Astell, 3-year-old record 2 1/2, sold for \$200,000 and is the only horse that stands at \$2,000 the season.

First dam Eliza Jane (dam of Maud Messenger 2 1/2); by Gentle Breeze, sire of Pearl 2 3/4, dam of Pearl Medium 2 1/2.

Second dam Kitty Rivers (dam of Bertie Girl, 4-year-old record 2 1/2 on slow track) by Alexander's Abdallah, sire of Goldsmith Maid 2 1/4, Rosalind 2 1/4, Almont, Belmont, &c.

Third dam by Red Jacket (sire of the dam of Kentucky Wilkes 2 1/2, and the second dams of So So 2 1/2, Lizzie Wilkes 2 1/2, Laura Belle 2 1/2, Combat (sire of Brown 2 1/2 and Williams 2 1/2); Red Wilkes (sire of Prince Wilkes 2 1/2); Phil Thompson 2 1/2, &c.) by Comet, son of Sherman Morgan.

Fourth dam an extra fast mare, supposed to be of Abdallah and Messenger blood.

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